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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

BUGE et al.

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Application No. 10/023,771

Group 3726

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PROCESS FOR MAKING A PANEL WITH A PROTECTED ACOUSTIC DAMPING
LAYER AND ACOUSTIC PANEL THUS MADE

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 20, 2004, for which the period for response has been extended three months, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.